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**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

**Listing of Claims**

Claim 1 (Cancelled).

Claim 2 (Previously Presented): The drain of claim 8, wherein said frame securable end has a circular configuration.

Claim 3 (Original): The drain of claim 2, wherein said frame exposed end has a non-circular geometric configuration.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): The drain of claim 3, wherein said frame exposed end has a rectangular configuration.

Claim 5 (Cancelled).

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): The drain of claim 3, wherein said frame exposed end comprises a seat, said grate being fixed to said seat.

Claim 7 (Cancelled).

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): A drain comprising:

a drain body defining a drain cavity;

a frame having a securable end received by said drain body and an exposed end, said frame being rotatable relative to said drain body for adjusting the position of said frame exposed end;

a clamp for fixing said securable end of said frame to said drain body; and

a grate received by said exposed end of said frame, wherein said drain body comprises a ledge having a sloped surface, said frame securable end slidably engaging said sloped surface of said ledge when said frame is rotated relative to said drain body, wherein said clamp comprises a clamp body having a protrusion for clamping said frame securable end between said protrusion and ~~to~~ said drain body and wherein said clamp further comprises a fastener extending beyond said frame securable end and said clamp body and being threaded into said drain body.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): A drain comprising:

a drain body defining a drain cavity;

a frame having a securable end received by said drain body and an exposed end, said frame being rotatable relative to said drain body for adjusting the position of said frame exposed end;

a clamp for fixing said securable end of said frame to said drain body; and

a grate received by said exposed end of said frame, wherein said drain body comprises a ledge having a sloped surface, said frame securable end slidably engaging said sloped surface of said ledge when said frame is rotated relative to said drain body, wherein said clamp comprises a clamp body having a protrusion for clamping said frame securable end to said drain body and wherein said drain body comprises a fastener receiving member extending into said drain cavity whereby said clamp body protrusion is configured to clamp said frame securable end between said protrusion and said fastener receiving member.

Claims 10-12 (Cancelled).

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 17, wherein the frame has an exposed end having a geometric configuration, such that said step of positioning the frame comprises orienting the geometric configuration of the frame exposed end relative to the floor drain surroundings.

Claim 14 (Original): The method of claim 13, wherein the floor surroundings comprises floor tiles.

Claim 15 (Original): The method of claim 13, wherein the floor surroundings comprises walls.

Claim 16 (Cancelled).

Claim 17 (Currently Amended): A method of installing a floor drain comprising:  
fixing a drain body in a floor;  
positioning a rotatable frame on the drain body by rotating the frame relative to the drain body, thereby orienting the frame to a desired position relative to surroundings of the floor drain;

securing the rotatable frame to the drain body; and

positioning a grate in the frame, wherein said drain body comprises a ledge having a sloped surface, said frame slidably engaging said sloped surface of said ledge when said frame is rotated relative to said drain body, wherein the frame has a securable end having a circular configuration that is received by the drain body wherein said securing step comprises clamping the securable end of the frame between a protrusion of a clamp body and the drain body and wherein said clamping comprises extending a fastener through the clamp body and beyond the securable end of the frame and threading the fastener into the drain body.

Claim 18 (Cancelled).

Claim 19 (Previously Presented): A drain comprising:  
a drain body defining a drain cavity;  
a frame having a securable end received by said drain body and an exposed end, said frame being rotatable relative to said drain body for adjusting the position of said frame exposed end;

a clamp for fixing said securable end of said frame to said drain body; and

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a grate received by said exposed end of said frame, wherein said clamp comprises a clamp body having a protrusion for clamping said frame securable end to said drain body, and wherein said clamp body comprises a sloped drain body engaging surface to provide a gap between a portion of said drain body engaging surface and said drain body.

Claims 20-22 (Cancelled).

Claim 23 (New): The drain of claim 19 wherein said protrusion of said clamp body is configured for clamping said frame securable end between said protrusion and said drain body.